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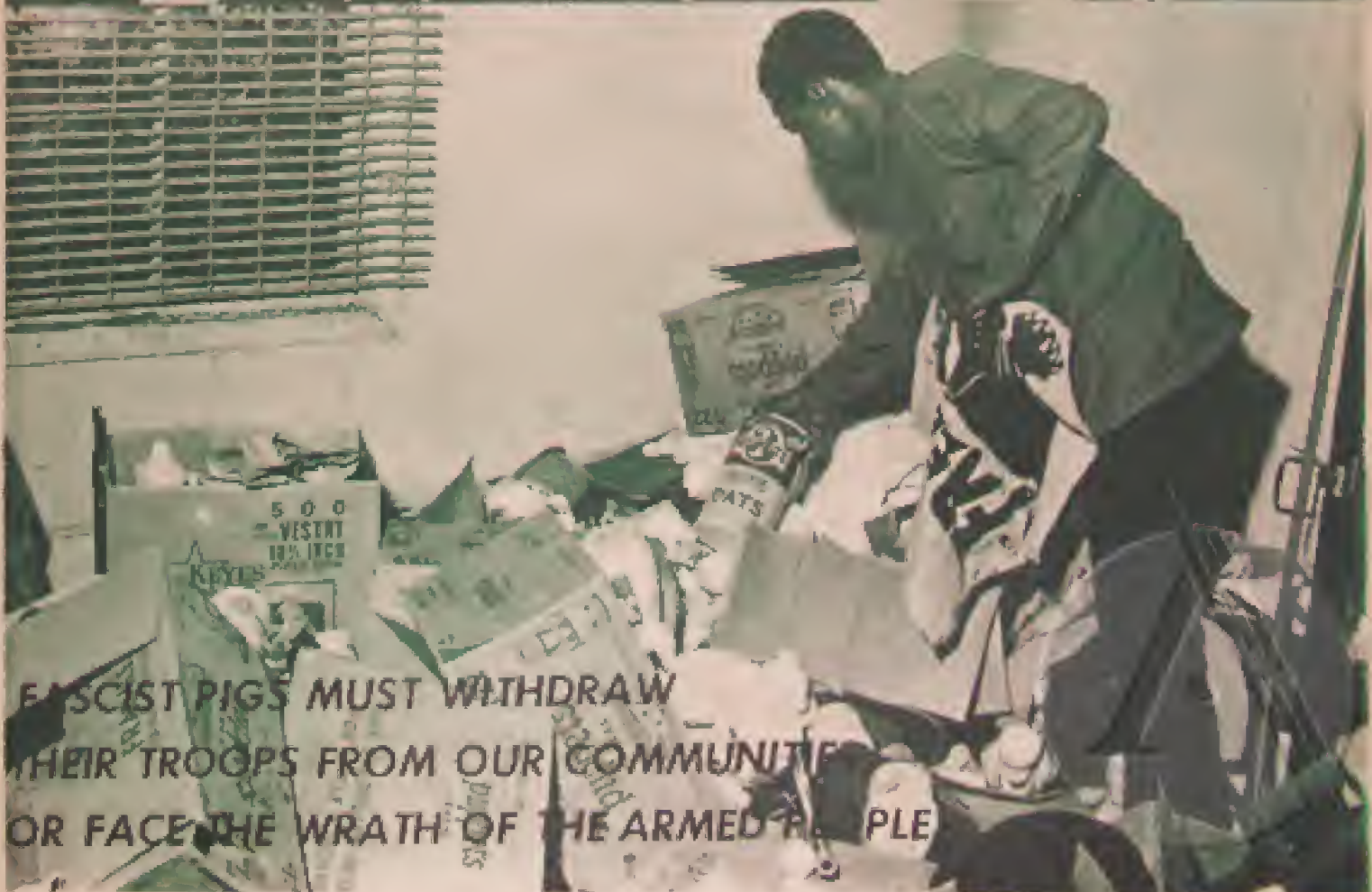
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REAGAN'S FASCIST PIGS VAMP ON SACRAMENTO HQ



FASCIST PIGS MUST WITHDRAW
THEIR TROOPS FROM OUR COMMUNITIES
OR FACE THE WRATH OF THE ARMED PEOPLE

lateral "recorder", providing only one side of the story, as justice and decency were present that one side accurately or truthfully, that I have a punishment "record" of many infractions of prison rules, that I am "unrecoverable," "unreformed killer," and therefore should be, and must be, put to death, exterminated... irreparable for the "blackness of my skin." The fact that the guard involved in the altercation has stated as reported by Walter Winchell, "over his five day running down bloodbath, that he is irrefragably, does not wish me to be executed is completely forgotten or ignored in the State.

Now, Sir, I assure you that I am not the kind or type of man my so-called "record" portrays me to be, nor am I the depraved beast the State compass that I am. I will not and refuse to justify, excuse or rationalize my past prison conduct, for I would be one of the first to admit that I have not become a "model prisoner." But I will say, in all sincerity, that during the many years I've spent in prison, I've been conditioned by necessity, by the law of the jungle to be tough, to be hard, and at times, even to be mean. I've been forced to kill for my very existence, to employ every means in my disposal to survive. I speak, Sir, the plain unvarnished truth. I've been cynically jaded and only against tough, vicious killers, prisoners who had no hope of ever being free, and therefore were willing to go to any length, including "getting another prisoner on the spot," to curry favor with the officials, and thus get a "good spot" to do their time, and end their lives on it. And against, as well, mild, young prisoners, striving to make themselves respectable as prison tough guys, but I have also been pined against injustice, prejudiced and brutal guards who resented and were antagonized by my leadership. Still, my sense of dignity, and sense of justice, and who understood to break an spirit, and to "teach me my lesson" as I was told. To accomplish this, I was often unjustly punished, often subjected to all manner of degrading, cruel and inhuman treatment: the "hole", the "lime juice," the "water treatment," the club, and other unspeakable tortures.

I first entered prison a young man, 19, of high ideals and principles, during my formative years, during a period that might be appropriately termed the "darkness" of prison and prison administration. Men were sent to prison in those days solely for the purpose of punishment—and they got just that. Little, if any, thought was given to helping the prisoner or to rehabilitate him. The only rule the prison officials knew or practiced in handling of the prisoners was the "rule of the stick," the "blow gun," the "water treatment" and the "hole". The prisoner was treated in such a manner as to help bring out the worst in him, to incite animal instincts, and he would not retaliate, quietly, and even more like wild, like some depraved beast, than a rational human being.

There were the days of the con boss system. That is to say, the days when the con bosses ran the prison, and ruled with an iron hand. The con boss had as much power as the guard—and there were some con bosses who had far more power than guards. A con boss could and there were some that did, cause a prisoner's time to be "cut" (though a con boss, especially, was subject to have his life made really miserable by the con boss unless he was willing and able to fight for his rights, or "draw some money" with which to pay off, or unless he was willing to pay off otherwise.

All records were recorded and kept by convicts who had the palm and power of the prison, the guard brought you before the captain for some infraction of the rules, the captain would give your card one of his convict clerks and tell him to write the charge against you. If the "card" clerk happened to be of the opinion that you stated that the official could "handle" or if he happened not to like the arresting guard, he would write the charge against you so as it would read as a misunderstanding. But, on the other hand, if the "card" clerk, or any member of prison, should happen to dislike you, he would more than likely write a minor infraction as to such as a "minor infraction". Then again, if the officials were willing and able to pay

the price, there wouldn't be any charge entered against him. It wasn't uncommon for a con boss to have a prisoner put in the hole in an effort to force him to submit to his brutal desires, or as a way to get some guard for services rendered.

It was during this period, my early years in prison, during the "dark age" of prison administration, that most of my so-called prison "record" accrued, and as the day for that which was to follow.

I had been in prison only a short time when I was charged with my first infraction of prison rules. It was for fighting with a prisoner for calling me a nigger. We were brought before Captain Carpenter, and I told him what the fight was, I assure, if you can, my great pride, and about, when the captain said, "well, that was just it, and if you remember how I told him Captain Carpenter say — a thing to me, and as he refused to take it, his remark not only made me angry, but hurt me very deeply, and I hated him. But I could do not say anything about it. I then and there resolved that I would prove to the captain, and indeed, to the whole prison world around me, that I was a man, a man who could take unadmittedly anything, any punishment, any abuse he or his guards could do that upon me, and still live to leave San Quentin a better man than he was. I do believe that something died in me that day, that a metamorphosis took place. That "dark" walls, the man so much has been said and written about, was born. And, due to many long years of ignorance, callous and inhuman treatment, and being forced to live under the law of the jungle, "dark" walls, for self-preservation, rights, badly denied assistance to Wesley Wells, the young man who entered prison with that ideal and principle, the young man who was unable to believe that the men's pigmentation of his skin was a badge of inferiority, was passing his less common courtesy to demand better things of a man in life, of a chance to develop a good mind, and to put it to useful work, to someday be a doctor was his mother's wish. After that, after the metamorphosis, for many long, dreadful years, Wesley Wells never had a chance.

After 24 months, I was transferred to Folsom. At that time, I was 22, and I thought I would be treated as a man, and would be able to do my time and get out. But, no, how wrong I was proven to be. Upon my arrival at Folsom I met Captain C. L. Jackson (who later became Warden), a very beautiful of a man, weighing about 250 pounds, and about 6 feet 6 inches tall, and without a doubt, the cruellest, most vicious man I ever had the misfortune to meet, and he forced me live with it. If there were any prisoner the captain disliked more than another, it was the young San Quentin inmate, who he said caused him all of his trouble, I was called to the Captain's office the first day I entered the prison, and Captain Jackson proceeded to lay down the law to me, "So you think you are a tough nigger, huh?" he said to me, "Well, unfortunately here to handle tough niggers." He then told me, "I'll have you eating out of my hand before you leave here." And as I started out of his office, to walk to the "captain's hole", as he told me to do, he kicked me viciously — just to remind me, I imagine, that he did "have ways to handle tough niggers". Well, that was my Folsom reception; and the battle between the captain and me was on, he to break me, and have me "eating out of his hand", as he said he would, and I just as determined to prove him wrong.

Though the racial discrimination in San Quentin was bad, it was ultra-discriminatory in comparison to that of Folsom. For example, most of the colored prisoners were housed in what was known as the "Island Room", in Number One building, and were the last ones to enter the mess hall. They had to stand against the mess hall wall and wait until the white prisoners had eaten, and was served, before they could enter the mess hall. Having been raised from an early age in West Los Angeles, in a rather democratic neighborhood, I found the racial discrimination of the prison extremely glaring, and

due to my inability to submit to it without shaking my conscience, I was infuriated by the hostility of the prison officials in general, and aggravated the animosity of I against inmates in particular. I will not undertake to relate the many abuses, the many injustices, the cruel and inhuman treatment accorded me by the prison officials of Folsom, for in no way would it exonerate me writing a book. But I feel it to be in the interest of justice and I would be unfair to my-

self, the state, Warden, and I think the third member was a lieutenant by the name of Buchanan. I was charged with and summarily "found guilty" of assassination of a knife. Though no knife was ever taken from me, nor was one found near me, neither was I ever given the knife I was supposed to have had, but I was "found guilty" and sentenced to 20 days in the hole, on bread and water even though I was just out of the hospital.

During my "trial," a guard



well were I to fail to apprise you of the following:

In 1944, less than six months prior to the charge of possession of the knife, previously mentioned herein, I was attacked by a prisoner and stabbed nine times—precisely everywhere but the bottom of my chest—while I stood within ten feet of a prison guard, and didn't have so much as a pen-knife with which to defend myself. I was carried to the prison hospital, and after much waiting and waiting an emergency abdominal operation was performed upon me, and ten days I laid in the hospital as what was said to be "a critical condition".

The day the doctor, Dr. J. F. McAnulty, told me it would be alright for me to go to the washroom and do little walking around, the Warden ordered that I be put in the hole, but the doctor would not allow it. The Warden then ordered that I be placed and confined in one of the hospital "rooms". I argued strongly against the move, and the doctor told me that I was right, that I was not in any condition to be in a "room" but that it was the Warden's order. He then told me to go on in the "room" and he would have a knife with the way. The next day I was moved back into the hospital ward. After about ten days there, when the first change had been removed from my stomach, and the first stitches had been removed from my body, that very day the Warden had me put in the hole on a bread and water diet. After five or six days in the hole, the doctor was successful in providing upon the efforts to have me removed to a day.

In due course I was brought before the disciplinary committee, which was composed of the War-

den, the warden, and I think the third member was a lieutenant by the name of Buchanan. I was charged with and summarily "found guilty" of assassination of a knife. Though no knife was ever taken from me, nor was one found near me, neither was I ever given the knife I was supposed to have had, but I was "found guilty" and sentenced to 20 days in the hole, on bread and water even though I was just out of the hospital.

There were no criminal charges ever filed against my assailant, not even for possession of the knife. He was transferred to San Quentin, and given a parole shortly thereafter.

That, Sir, is the kind of treatment, the kind of protection, I was accorded and could expect from and by prison officials. It is my wonder, I respectfully ask, that I felt that it was up to me and up to me alone to protect myself. Is it any wonder that two prison doctors, after lengthy interviews with me, just two days before the unfortunate attack with the guard, to it any wonder that they found that I was suffering from almost ten—years of fear—for my personal safety. Is it any wonder, the establishment of the doctors' findings, I want to apprise you of one more incident, and then leave it up to you to decide again whether or not there were any basis for the doctors' findings.

In 1945, I lieutenant Buchanan and several guards came to move me

from one cell to another in the back alley. Guard Joe George arrived and told the other guards to leave, that he would, and did, move me to the cell. After I was in the cell, lieutenant Buchanan then entered and began to jab me in the ribs and stomach with a long, heavy, steel-tipped walking cane. I grabbed a hold of one end of the cane, and with the lieutenant holding onto the other end, we stood there arguing. Guard Joe George then put inside of the cell, and indeed, and watched the argument. Guard Joe George stood just outside of the cell and witnessed the whole affair. Guard C. L. Jackson roughly shoved guard Joe George aside and rushed into the cell and, with these words, "Two black sonsabitches, you can't talk to my superior officer like that!" he slapped me a cruel, vicious blow with his club over my left eye, laying it wide open, requiring several stitches to close. To justify the assault upon me, I was charged with attempting to resist the lieutenant. When I was "tried" before a disciplinary committee of the Warden, the Associate Warden and Lieutenant Buchanan, Guard Joe George testified that he was standing right in the cell doorway and that he did not see me make any attempt to assault the lieutenant or anyone else. Later that day Dr. P. W. Day, the Chief Medical Officer of the prison, questioned Guard Joe George as to just what had happened, and the terrifying circumstances, and was advised, as was the Warden, that I had not raised my hands to strike anyone, that the assault upon me was cruel, unjustified and unjustifiable. As the guard testified that I had made notes, Guard Joe George testified to the same effect when I was tried in Sacramento for throwing and hitting the guard with the magazine. Notwithstanding guards Hynes and Joe George's testimony, I was "found guilty" and sentenced to 20 days in the hole.

Well, Sir, what do you think? Was there any basis for the doctors' findings? Would you say that I had cause to be in prison? I have related only a few of such incidents as above mentioned, there were many more that I would like to tell you of, which my so-called "record" give no account of. They are recorded, however, in my medical record, a record that you will find very informative, therefore, I urge that you read it. To enable you to better understand and to be able to appreciate somewhat of what I went through at Folsom, the physical and mental suffering, what a "hell-on-earth" my life was, I quote from a couple of letters, one written in October, 1944, to the Adult Authority, and the other one to Dr. Philip C. Williams, my doctor, shortly after my arrival here on parole and now, in 1947, first, the Adult Authority letter:

"My purpose in writing you this brief of my life is intended to bring you, the members of the Adult Authority, in doing me, fixing my term and the like, and so I present not as a defense, especially, but at least, as a representation of the events which have occurred during my life. "I made every effort to live down my reputation, but it was a hopeless task. I had 'lost the dirt,' so to speak, and the inmates intended to see that the 'dirt' was not changed. The officials were determined to 'change me,' they applied treatment in bringing about the desired 'change' that was abusive, and at times downright inhuman, that only resulted in bringing my defiance. One time the former captain, and later Warden, told me that I was a tough nigger, that he would have me eating out of his hand before I was out of here. After five years and seven months, I was released under very tough, and at times abusive conditions, I obtained my release with the aid of Warden Warden C. L. Jackson. It was not without much interest in me that he first was angry. I was in the prison hospital, and when he found that I would have never lived to be free had it not been for the mercy of Warden Jackson."

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NEXT ISSUE

SCEF ORGANIZERS PUT FASCIST CITY ON TRIAL

Gainesville, Florida—A three-judge panel of the Fifth U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals has ruled that six local militants are entitled to a hearing on whether city officials acted in bad faith by bringing charges of arson, burglary and rioting against them.

In effect, the ruling opens the way for the militants to get the city on trial.

The six had charged that city officials—including the mayor, sheriff, police chief and city manager—brought the charges in an attempt to harass them and stop them from organizing. The officials filed affidavits before Judge Harold Curren, formerly of the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Florida, claiming that they did not act in bad faith. Judge Curren denied the militants a hearing.

Judges Orville Phillips, Griffin B. Bell and Lewis B. Morgan, taken later from Georgia, reversed Curren's decision. They said that the city officials gave no real information in their affidavits, and that no facts were presented so that the trial court could arrive at its own conclusions. They ordered an evidentiary hearing to see if the appellants can prove their charges, which are based on the landmark *Dombrowski* decision.

Under *Dombrowski*, a judge can stop prosecutions that would have a "chilling effect" on the exercise of first amendment freedoms. In the past, civil rights attorneys have used it mainly to strike down invalid statutes. With this ruling, the reach is broadened to attack state statutes which have been invalidly applied.

"Officials can never deny you a hearing now by merely saying: 'We don't act in bad faith,'" said Attorney William M. Kamatler, who represented the militants. "The ruling means that in all the previous years carried to an evidentiary hearing, which means that we can try the city."

"We are now making a motion for an evidentiary hearing to be held in the city of Gainesville."

Kamatler and Ally, Bill Brander, the Law Center for Constitutional Rights, filed the suit in April, 1969, to stop the prosecution of five Black Panther Party leaders on charges of arson, and two other Florida militants on charges of inciting a riot and of Miss Carol Thomas, a white woman charged with resisting arrest. All have spent many months in jail during the last year and a half years.



TWO FACES OF FASCISM

The repression of the Black Panther Party in America is reminiscent to Nazi-Yap. Not yet three years old, and some 15 members have been sponsored by the fascist pigs. And now these tactics have become more elaborate. The murder of Alex Rackley was the work of cold blooded fascist murderers by the fascist pigs of Connecticut. The arrest of the N.Y. 21 was the trial of black fascist terrorism in the Black Panther Party, the murder of Alex Rackley is the open line for fascist repression against all the organizations that demand free speech and self determination. History reminds us of the burning of the Reichstag records, the McCarthy era during the political repression of the C.P.U.S.A. With the ignominious crimes of the fascist regimes are not met with intelligence of Workers, Students, Liberals and Progressive Democrats the future of America will reflect the heinous crimes of Fascist Germany. How different are the Nazis and philosophy of Governor Reagan

and Adolph Hitler, from my point of view it is only administration. They wear coats of human lives under the banner of Law and Order which is a fascist philosophy, rescuing in the black communities, college campuses, pigs and school administrators national level. The murder of Alex Rackley was a calculated plot to intimidate the members of the Black Panther Party in order to justify their perfidious attacks against the Black Panther Party. If allowed to go on in the manner of sustained fascist terror, this will be the great light for neo-fascism in America.

We cannot depend on the fascist press to give a true account of the persecution of our Party, its columns serve as the "great American democracy" incommensurate. People who recognize fascism for what it is in the country 3,000 miles away, frequently turn their backs on the fascist pigs who are under their very noses. They mechanically seek to



identify fascism by the garments which it wears in other countries and are unable to recognize it when it wears new clothes.

In the United States, for instance, there are many people who on the basis of Sunday-supplement accounts of Hitler and Mussolini refuse to see the growth of fascism, unless it takes the shape of a man on horseback riding down Pennsylvania Avenue, or a megaphone with a little microphone, making speeches in a big voice. But history is richer and more varied. It does not follow stereotyped formulae. Fascism takes on diverse, and frequently subtle, forms.

The Black Panther Party recognizes it for what it is in America. The demagogic politician, the venal politician, the politician and the fascist pig who ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE. Chief of Staff David Lawrence

PETITION STATEMENT FOR COMMUNITY CONTROL OF POLICE

SUMMARY OF POLICE CONTROL AMENDMENT THAT MUST BE ESTABLISHED IN THE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES OF AMERICA TO END FASCISM

This amendment to a City charter would give control of the police to community elected neighborhood councils so that those whom the police should serve will be able to set police policy and standards of conduct.

The amendment provides for community control of the police by establishing police departments for the major communities of any city: the Black community, the predominantly White area, the Mexican American Communities, etc., etc. The departments would be separate and autonomous. They can by mutual agreement use common facilities. Each Department will be administered by full time police commissioners. (Not single police chiefs.) The Commissioners are selected by a

Neighborhood Police Control Council composed of fifteen members from that community elected by those who live there. Each department shall have five Community Council divisions within it. (Or number of departments ratioed to population.)

The Councils shall have the power to discipline officers for breaches of Department policy or violations of law. (Against the people). They may direct their police Commissioners to make changes in department wide police policy by majority vote of the said department commissioners. The Council can recall the Commissioner appointed by it at any time it finds that he is no longer responsive to the community. The community can recall the council members when they are not responsive to it.

All police officers must live in the department they work in, and will be hired accordingly.

FASCIST FORCES MOVE NATIONWIDE TO DESTROY BLACK PANTHER PARTY



LONNIE MC LUCAS

When the oppressor makes a vicious attack against freedom fighters because of the way that such freedom fighters choose to go about their liberation, they are aware we are moving in the direction of our liberation.

—Bobby Seale

The Black Panther party is under nationwide attack in a concerted government effort to destroy gains the Panthers have made in black communities. In a June 5 press conference, Bobby Seale, Black Panther party chairman, said more than 10 Panther leaders have been arrested in the last two months. The Panthers have lost key people in Oregon, Connecticut, Colorado, New Jersey and California. Seale termed these arrests "nothing more than Richard Nixon's operations."

CONNECTICUT PANTHERS



PEGGY HUGGINS



WARREN KIMBRO



MAUDE FRANCIS



ERICA HUGGINS



JEANNIE WILSON



ROSE SMITH



FRANCIS CARTER



GEORGE EDWARDS

FASCISM

Fascism is the open terrorist dictatorship of the most reactionary, most chauvinistic (racist) and most imperialist elements of finance capital. It does not stand above both classes - the proletariat and the bourgeoisie, nor is it super-class government, nor government of the petty-bourgeoisie or the lumpen proletariat over finance capital. Fascism is the power of finance capital itself. FINANCE CAPITAL manifests itself not only as banks, trusts, and monopolies, but also as the human property of FINANCE CAPITAL - the avaricious businessman, the demagogic politician, and the racist pig cop. FASCISM is the organization of terrorist vengeance against the working class, and the revolutionary section of the peasantry and intelligentsia.

**CAPITALISM PLUS RACISM
EQUALS FASCISM**

Seale's figure of 40 did not include the indictment of 21 Panthers in New York City on April 3. They were charged with conspiring to bomb several department stores, blow up the Bronx Botanical Gardens, several police stations and a section of railroad tracks. This was the high point of a New York police vendetta which has brought 20 charges against Panthers in the last 10 months. There have been no convictions.

Thirteen of the Panther 21 are currently being held on \$100,000 bail each in seven New York prisons under maximum security. They are kept in lighted cells 24 hours a day, they are allowed no recreation or library privileges, and have not been permitted to meet as a group with their lawyers, Gerry Lebowitz and William Kunstler, to prepare their defense.

Under these conditions and with hostile nationwide publicity, the Panther 21 are guaranteed a preposterous trial if it is held, as scheduled, on June 11. Defense lawyers have asked a federal court for a showcause hearing which would force the state commissioner of corrections to release the prisoners, to lower their bail or to show that no injustice or violation of procedures has taken place which would deny them a fair trial.

There have been 10 hearings on bail reduction for the 21. Lonnie Figg, a minor, had his bail reduced to \$10,000 and was released. A "friendly" bailbondsmen told one Panther, "I got a call from DA Phillips saying that I would lose my license to do business if I bailed out the Panthers."

The government has used the Panther 21 case to bust and harass Panther chapters all over the country. In New Haven, Conn. on May 22, eight members of a chapter just being formed were arrested and charged with kidnapping and murdering a New York Panther who, the police claim, was going to testify against the Panther 21.

Raid a pretext

Panther offices in Chicago, Denver and Salt Lake City have been raided by police and FBI agents looking for New York and New Haven "dupes." Local authorities have tried to use these raids to turn community opinion against the Panthers. The raids have also been pretexts for police confiscation of Panther organizing material, money and whatever else was portable.

In New Haven, Conn. police claim eight local Panthers kidnaped Alvin Karpis from New York and murdered him in New Haven. Karpis, the cops say, was to testify against the Panther 21. The New York Panther office says Karpis was an excellent organizer who had close contact with the people of Harlem. "Brother Alvin was murdered by the pigs and now eight Panthers have been framed on trumped-up charges and are being held captive without bail."

On June 5, Chicago police and FBI agents with machine guns forced their way into Panther headquarters, claiming they were looking for "George James, a fugitive from New York." Eight Panthers were arrested, charged with harboring a federal fugitive and illegal possession of weapons.

Two days later in Denver, Rory Harte, 18, and Brandon Robert Williams, 25, were arrested for unlawful flight to avoid prosecution. They were taken into custody at Panther headquarters and charged with being involved in the New Haven case. Bail for each was set at \$200,000.

Another Panther allegedly involved in the case was arrested in Salt Lake City June 6. Lonnie McLucas, 28, was charged with unlawful flight to avoid prosecution and had bail set at \$100,000.

On the night of June 7 about 400 Black people gathered in the street outside the Indianapolis Black Panther party office. Three cops in a patrol car tried to disperse the crowd. The cops claim they were attacked.

Police used the gathering as a pretext for entering the Panther office and busting everyone present. About half of the 10 persons arrested were Panthers. The weekend happened on the second night of disturbances in Indianapolis, in which about 200 Blacks have been arrested and six injured. One undercover agent was reportedly wounded by a sniper.

These raids on the Panthers are being used in New York to provoke the public against the Panther 21. The press reports each bust with blaring headlines, although the Panthers here have never been found guilty on any charge. The press never mentions the Panther's 10-point political program or the fact that they are setting up free medical care services and free breakfasts for school children. We never hear that the Panthers say, "We want land, bread, housing, education, justice and peace!" instead we hear trumped-up charges, ridiculous stories and enormous bail figures.

Action is being taken to publicize the real nature of the nationwide move against the Panthers. A series of demonstrations have been held in New York, the most recent on June 7 at the federal courthouse, where 200 people showed up.

Two of the Panther 21—John Bird and Abner Shaban—and two Panthers arrested on other charges are being held at the Women's House of Detention, 4th Avenue and West 10th Street. The Ad Hoc Committee to Support the Panther 21 has called for a demonstration there on June 14 at 11 p.m.

In New Haven, members of Yale SDS distributed a leaflet saying, "The charges against the New Haven Panthers, which have been trumped up by the government and police, are intended to instantly race hatred by playing upon the beloved myths of the white people by the educational system and the mass media."

The Panthers have called for a national conference of revolutionaries to form a United Front Against Fascism. The conference will be held July 18-21 in Oakland, Calif. The Panthers expect 2000 participants and the call to the conference stresses the need for "a front which has a common revolutionary ideology and political program which answers the basic desires and needs of all people in fascist-capitalistic, racist America. Primary objective will be community control of police to end fascism."

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LANDON E. WILLIAMS



RORY B. HITTE

POLITICAL PRISONERS

Rory Hittie and Landon Williams are political prisoners held in jail in Denver, Colorado on charges of unlawful flight to avoid prosecution. The brothers were arrested when fascist FBI and Federal pigs ramped on the Denver Black Panther Party headquarters with guns and machine guns. These brothers are held in isolation cells because they refuse to work, they refuse to submit to super-exploitation while they are in the fascist jail. They are on a diet of bread and water. They are not allowed to the human privilege of taking

a shower. They have no commissary privileges. Their families can spend only 15 minutes visiting time with them. That 15 minutes is spent talking through a telephone which is partitioned off by a glass wall.

Landon Williams has a seven week old baby girl whom he is more interested in than being in a fascist concentration camp.

"The spirit of a Panther is greater than the man's jail."

DYNAMITE

BOILING POT OF FASCISM

By elevating my consciousness to the revolutionary level, I have come to realize the fascism all around me. I have come to recognize the San Joaquin Valley for the plantation that it is. In becoming a revolutionary, I recognize who the plantation owners are. They are the rich farmers who control the San Joaquin Valley, who have argued for the idea of industrializing the San Joaquin Valley for years. It must be pointed out that the puppet politicians stood up for the people's rights only after repeatedly being reminded by the poor and working masses.

In recognizing this as being how these fascists have neglected black people, their community and its schools, I have become disillusioned in present governmental systems. And I say to all the other slaves on this plantation, "Declare yourselves in state of rebellion as I have done, unite and we will join with the struggle that is going on around the

world to end colonialism!"

And in conclusion to my analysis of the San Joaquin Valley and Fresno, the largest city, I find that it is a boiling pot of racism. There fly around the shit-smelling poverty programs getting money that smells with the stench of the devil. If the masses take thinking they have something to hope for in the present day governmental system. They fly around these programs like so many flies around fresh shit. I say this, the government should serve the people and if it doesn't, off the government!

And since the San Joaquin Valley greatly needs all of the qualities of fascism, I say it and all the fascist institutions should deal with it by means necessary. ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE! DOWN WITH THE LANDOWNERS. Leland A. Williams, Jr., 11. of Information, Fresno

OPEN LETTER:

TO A POLITICAL PRISONER

TO: Landon Robert Williams

The fascist pigs think they've taken you away from the revolution don't they? They thought that they had taken Malcolm away, but he's here. He's here in the teachings of Huey P. Newton. They thought they had taken Huey away, but here he is, the Vanguard, the Black Panther Huey P. Newton. Now, they can't see that you, "Huey", John, Eldridge, and all other revolutionaries are all manifestations of Malcolm and Huey. This just goes to show the low level of intelligence of the stupid, fascist, capitalist power structure. Those of you (N.Y. 21, Conn. 2 etc.) have fought for the people, taught the people and are now incarcerated as political prisoners, you will continue doing these things.

Chairman Mao says that "A revolutionary should have largeness of mind and be should be staunch and active, looking upon the interests of the revolution as his VERY LIFE and subordinating his personal interests to those of the revolution; ALWAYS and EVERYWHERE he should adhere to principles and wages a tireless struggle against all incorrect ideas and actions. He should be more concerned about the party and the masses than about any individual (be it wife, mother, child) and more concerned about others than himself. Only then can he be considered a revolutionary."

John Higgins, and Alpradice "Beachy" Carter and many other brothers have sacrificed much more than freedom for the people, they have given their lives out of love. Love for the people. The revolution is your life, so therefore you must continue to educate oppressed people. You will educate your brothers in jail, because if they were not oppressed they wouldn't be there. "We revolutionaries are like seeds and the people like soil. Wherever we go, we must unite with the people, take root and blossom among them."

---Chairman Mao
Your absence from this "jail" a shame for a country called the United States of America, will be manifested by all revolutionaries in many different ways, all pro-

testing a UNITED FRONT against this overt and blatantly fascist country which only displayed a little of its true nature on you. Shattered like a slave bound to his master. Fuck that shit. Shattered only in body, not in mind, spirit nor in soul, always a Panther and a servant of the people.

You have a 3 week old daughter Nijana Metrick, who has been instilled with revolutionary principles. This was shown in her from revolutionary parents through practice in a revolutionary environment. She was born revolutionary and will die one, the first of a new generation whose mind will not be conditioned by this power structure. A counter-revolutionary she cannot be. The people, and

I will not tolerate it. Long may she and all others like her live to carry out the needs and desires of the people.

This as all the other live and breathe makes me mad and even more so, makes me realize the desperate need of the people to free themselves from this beast. As your wife I say, "I love you and miss you, but with your incarceration, we are one step closer to overthrowing this fascist regime."

The KKK book is my bible, the GUN my staff. VICTORY TO THE PEOPLE! VICTORY IS OURS! ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE! LONG LIVE THE MENACE OF DEFENSE! Ora Williams



A CASE FOR BROTHER HUEY

The woman slaying of a white man by Los Angeles pigs recently presents a case for Minister of Defense Huey P. Newton, and shows a reckless disregard for human life inherent in the attitudes and acts of the apostles in blue.

When Brother Huey was accused of killing one of Oakland's paid assassins during an obvious attempt by them to assassinate him, no one dared believe that cops would shoot one another while acting in a ruthless and reckless fashion. When the question as to whether Brother Huey killed whether the cops actually shot one another and wounded the brother in their effort to murder him because of his revolutionary stance, which posed a serious threat to the reactionary, imperialistic United States, few dared think it and apparently none dared believe it. These doubtful persons should now reevaluate the circumstances surrounding Brother Huey's plight, especially in view of the L.A. slaying, for this murder raises some very serious and difficult questions and should better serve to give greater insight into the psychology of work in the fascist police departments of America, the impulsive desire to kill.

In the L.A. killing, which occurred June 11, 22-year-old Donald Lee Oughton, a white man, was gunned down as he apparently sought to procure identification for

two fascist pigs who stopped him allegedly as a suspect in reported snitching on the Hollywood freeway. Early reports had it that Oughton had exchanged gunfire with the fascist assassins who had gone to his overpass, where a sniper reportedly had fired rifle shots at passing cars, but it was later determined that Oughton was unarmed.

Oughton had apparently been rushing home to view a regular weekly wrestling program on television when the two pigs, Norman P. O'Malley and rookie cop Henry Kennedy, spotted him rushing along several blocks from the freeway.

"All of a sudden, without any apparent notice, he slowed to a halt," a spokesman for the assassins said. When ordered to do so, Oughton stopped and approached O'Malley and Kennedy, who slipped from their car and positioned themselves about him.

Oughton is reported to have turned and reached for his back pocket.

"Watch out, here goes a gun," rookie Kennedy is to have yelled, without ever seeing a weapon or anything that appeared to be one. At this Kennedy drew and fired, missing Oughton and striking O'Malley in the left index finger. O'Malley was standing behind Oughton. O'Malley should have been able to see that the man had no gun—and Kennedy in front of him,

DONALD L. OUGHTON
The victim

O'Malley pulled his gun and shot Oughton dead, reportedly believing that Oughton had shot him.

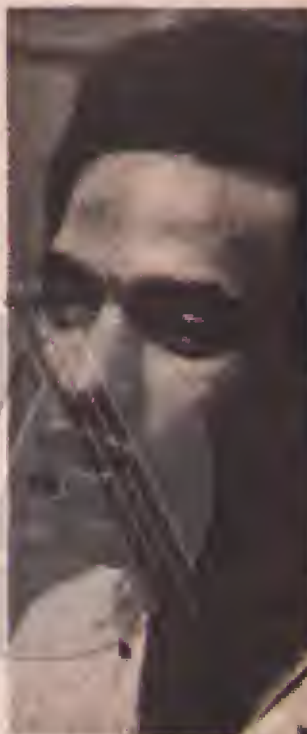
The state man's mother said her son always carried a card in his pocket with his name and address on it because of a speech handicap he had. She said he must have been searching for it when he was slain.

"My son doesn't own a gun, and

never carried a gun," she said.

A search of the area turned up neither a gun nor evidence of a sniper.

One need not be prejudiced against all of the Black Panther Minister of Defense, or be down on cops to see that there are very similar aspects in this case and that of Brother Huey. One need only look at the proven weakness of the nation's police system, a system that has been recently recognized by some men in government as a growing and most threatening political force in the life of America. This always comes about prior to an all out fascist take-over, as is apparent here in the Huey P. Newton case, the slaying of Martin Luther King Jr., and the persecution and murder of Malcolm X, and the persecution and attempted murder of the Minister of Information of the Black Panther Party, Eldridge Cleaver, all of whom threatened the smooth passage of the total advent of fascism. In the eye of fascism, the fascists always become much more daring in their acts against the people because their stands now to oppose them, and those who do rise in opposition are either strangled or killed. Whatever what is happening to the Black Panther Party on a national scale,





Agents Leave Their Scar

Bobby Rush, (left), Deputy Minister of Defense for the Illinois Black Panther Party and Russ Meek, chairman of the Black Impeachment Committee (center) look down at debris on floor of Panther office, 2350 W. Madison, after FBI agents broke in and arrested six persons. Un-



identified man (right) shows Daily Defender photographer door that agents broke through to get into Panther headquarters (Daily Defender photos by Ted Bell).

BLACK PANTHER PARTY



HARASSMENT OF ILLINOIS PANTHERS

On June 4, Wednesday at 5:15 a.m., FBI agents, aided by local pigs, rapped on the Illinois Chapter Office of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY. By 5:30, when the brothers realized what was happening, there were about 30 pigs on the roof of the office and near door. The officer of the day was informed that the pigs were on the phone. One brother, Allen Bruce Dixon, broke down the door where the guns were kept and he and two others started loading them up. Pigs were outside with a bullhorn telling them they had 60 seconds that they (pigs) would start using tear gas. The two others that were in the office started getting rage and gun marks ready. The pigs had an area of 2 miles barricaded off from people and cars.

The Officer of the Day then realized that the agents and roof were infested with pigs and ordered all out of the building. While brother Larry was coming out of the office a pig tried to come in and he kicked the door closed. The Officer of the Day realized that two brothers were still in the building. He got a bullhorn and ordered them out. Before the eight were taken away they saw about 15 FBI agents entering the building. FBI agents searched the Washburn office. They confiscated seven rifles, two shotguns, boxes of ammunition, destroyed a mimeograph machine, and confiscated four typewriters. Also taken was \$5,000 in cash and checks. The majority of the money was for the free medical clinic and the political prisoner defense fund. Over 5,000 essays of Huey, several hundred petitions to free Fred, Red, Louis, and other educational supplies were taken. Records were confiscated. The walls of the office were stripped of pictures and posters, desk drawers were taken out of the office. Propaganda that was to go out that morning was also taken. Paint (black) and cement was thrown all over the second floor. Fred for life was ripped out and scattered throughout the building. The pigs, who were heavily armed with machine guns, shotguns, bullet-proof vests, hand weapons of all calibers, and a belt, kept, took the following people into custody:

1. Patrick Keen, charged with harboring a fugitive--\$4,000 bond, 9-1 years, released on recognizance bond.

2. Lewis Allen Dixon (education cadre) charged with harboring a fugitive, released on \$4,000 bond, recognizance.

3. Larry Robertson (security) was charged the same as above, released on recognizance.

4. Andrew Grimes (registered nurse/health cadre) charged with harboring a fugitive, \$5,000 bond, released same as above.

5. Georgia Washington (secretary/distribution) charged same as Andrew.

6. Harvey Holt (security) same charge, released on recognizance.

7. Jesse Ward (education cadre) same charge, released on signature.

8. Locketh Bibbs (section leader) same charge, released on signature.

The FBI claims they were looking for George Sam Jr. No such person was found in the building. The pigs never told the eight hands what they wanted; they just shouted for all to come out before they lobbed tear gas in. No warrant was ever presented. Community residents estimated that more than 500 pigs cordoned off a 5 square block (2 mile) area. Everyone goes to court on June 20th, U.S. Commissioner, Federal Building.

On June 15, 1969, Tuesday, eleven major indictments were levied on 18 Illinois Panthers by the Cook County Grand Jury. Edward V. Harrigan immediately had arrest warrants issued for the students. They are:

1. Frederick Allen Hughes, Deputy Chairman of the Illinois Chapter of the IIP charged with aggravated kidnapping, bond \$100,000. Chairman Fred is being held at Menard Prison, sentenced from 2-5 years up to life term (robbery). He has not been brought to bond reduction court as of yet.

2. William A. O'Neil-park and file member picked up the same day. Charged with kidnapping and unlawful use of weapons.

3. Richard Brown, picked up the same day, charged with conspiracy to kidnap.

4. James White, charged with kidnapping, illegal use of weapons.

5. David Valentine, charged with conspiracy to kidnap, illegal use of weapons.

Also, 10 people are being sought by the pigs, mostly for the crimes of kidnapping and illegal possession of weapons.

We see the indictment as a calculated move to destroy the leadership of the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party. After the imprisonment of Deputy Chairman Fred Hampton failed to stop the programs of the party, pig states attorney Edward V. (Valmore) Harrigan has tried everything in his power to destroy the party. Through the news media, Harrigan is trying to portray the Party as a gang of criminals, dangerous to the people and not their friends as we rightfully are. We are combating this tendency with an increase in daily propaganda and an increase in sales of newspapers. We are trying to put a newsletter together to combat the daily racism perpetuated by the city newspapers.

The Justice Department admitted to the newspaper that they are carrying out intensive investigation into the activities of the Party. Since the former gangs have turned into political groups threatening the home rule of Daley's and the government political structure, the Grand Jury has been working day and night to frame all political groups and individual revolutionaries. The Grand Jury is conducting investigations into the former gang's activities and into the political groups that are putting together programs to aid the communities. Gang warfare has been brought to a halt.

Several members of the Young Lords have been indicted, including chairman Cha-Cha Jimenez who has gone into hiding. The pigs are trying everything to co-opt the members. If that's working, they want no part of the power structure. Deputy Chairman Fred was moved from Menard to Menard Prison. They moved him on June 1st without notifying his attorneys or his family. They are trying to keep him from the people and the party. No appeal bond has been jumped. He was never brought to court to have the bond lowered.

He has been indicted for aggravated kidnapping. The charge carries a sentence of the electric chair. The attorneys are working hard on the case.

We are seeing to it that every living soul knows about the frame-up and the attempts to destroy the party. Thousands of petitions are being sent out. Petitions will be solicited all across the Midwest. The section leaders are going to start teaching classes in their sections that the community can attend. New center for the Breakfast and Lunch for the Children Pro-

grams are being sought. We are intensifying the struggle on all levels. As revolutionaries, we understand the two most important things in a people's struggle are leadership (the vanguard) and the active support of the people. We will combat the pigs' attempts to destroy the vanguard, impale the youth and deceive the people.

A Pig is Nothing But an Enemy Soldier!

Lt. Eugene Charles, Information Illinois Chapter, Information

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THE GOVERNMENT VERSUS FRED HAMPTON AND THE PEOPLE -- AN EXAMPLE OF CONTRADICTIONS

I. THE JURY

Although it is constitutionally guaranteed that a person has a right to a trial by a jury of his peers, Fred Hampton was tried by a jury which was selected from a list including two poor black young people, and the blacks on the list were for the most part thrown out by the district attorney.

Although a defendant is supposed to have the right to disqualify jurors who are prejudiced against him, Fred Hampton was allowed to people for prejudice only by asking potential jurors questions in the presence of each other, so that each juror quickly learned from the answers of prior jurors what was acceptable answer to questions on prejudice.

II. THE TESTIMONY

Although witnesses are not supposed to be allowed to testify in flames the passion and sympathy of the jurors, the ice cream man who testified against Fred Hampton was allowed to testify in an army uniform.

Although jurors, in judging the credibility of witnesses, are to take into account the content and manner of the witness' testimony, the fact that Fred Hampton ignored the man's identification and "I don't know" answers of the ice cream man.

Although police officers are public officials whose duty is to protect the innocent by thorough investigations of cases and truthful testimony in court, Officer Duffy who testified against Fred Hampton, has a long record of personal vendettas and many harassmentes against Fred Hampton, and Officer Duffy committed perjury during the sentencing hearing on Fred Hampton, thus further destroying the credibility of his testimony.

Although the ice cream man was sworn to tell the truth, he testified that Fred Hampton immediately stomped on his chest and tried to choke him, a physical impossibility, and he also testified that when he pointed out Fred Hampton as the offender, Fred Hampton was wearing a shirt with



Fred Hampton, Chairman, Illinois Black Panther Party

a foot print of the ice cream man on it, but that shirt and foot print were never introduced into evidence.

III. THE JUDGE

Although Judge Sidney A. Jones, Jr. is under oath to uphold his constitutional duty to be fair and impartial during a trial and to disqualify himself if he is unable to be fair and impartial, he testified Fred Hampton as a time when the

judge's job was at stake because of the judge's finding not guilty a hoodlum who had run over a child.

Although Judge Jones took responsibility for his decision in the child death case, he stated that he could take no responsibility for granting bail for Fred Hampton, who was accused not of killing children, but of taking ice cream bars for them.

IV. THE LEGAL SYSTEM

Although justice is, in legal theory, based upon the truth, Fred Hampton's trial illustrates how it is in fact based upon the stories of the state's witnesses, who can easily be taught to tell the stories so as to make it impossible for the defense to prove innocence, innocence and lies.

Although the state has the command of the investigative and lawyer resources, Fred Hampton had only himself and an attorney who agreed to represent him for free.

Although the real issue in Fred Hampton's trial was the racism of the ice cream man, the police and the jury, the legal system precludes the raising of these issues by strict rules of relevancy and stringent limits on what constitutes proof.

Although Americans admire such secondary figures as Robin Hood, the criminal law prohibits severely even those, such as Fred Hampton, who are accused, tried and convicted without proof of being Robin Hoods.

Although the legal system is theoretically neutral about a person's politics (e.g., a person cannot be held to answer in court about his political), Fred Hampton was tried, convicted and sentenced solely because of his politics and most especially because of his efforts to build power among poor people which is a threat to those who control the legal system (i.e., Mayor Daley, who effectively appoints and fires judges, prosecutors, and police officers).

Although the law is theoretically colored equally against all enemies, the prosecutor and the police have in fact unlimited discretion to choose who is arrested and charged and what they are charged for, a discretion exercised to find a way, among the government's arsenal of "criminal laws" for getting Fred Hampton in jail.

V. THE VERDICT

Although a People's trial in which the transcript of the government's trial was used for evidence, found Fred Hampton in-

nocent, the government's trial found him guilty.

VI. THE SENTENCING

Although the law requires that a judge base his sentence on the "moral character" of the defendant, Judge Jones asked not about Fred Hampton's activities on behalf of poor people, but only about whether he attended church, had a good paying job, and lived at home with his parents.

Although the defendant's political beliefs are not lawfully relevant to how long a sentence he is given, Prosecutor McGee was permitted to inquire into Fred Hampton's political beliefs.

Although the minimum sentence would normally be one year for a youthful first offender found guilty of an unarmed robbery, Fred Hampton was sentenced to a minimum of two years and a maximum of five years.

VII. HAIL PENDING APPEAL

Although the law and constitution clearly allow for a defendant to be admitted to bail pending a final determination by an appellate court that his trial was legally held, Fred Hampton was denied bail.

Although judges usually consider when they are deciding whether to grant bail, the defendant's record of conviction (Fred Hampton had only a \$10 fine on his record), the defendant's past record in appearing for scheduled court dates (Fred Hampton never missed one), and he has always turned himself in, upon learning of outstanding warrants against him, the defendant's ties in the community (Fred Hampton's life and work is centered in the Chicago area), Judge Jones denied Fred Hampton bail without even inquiring into these facts.

Although Officer Neeshaw was convicted for the murder of Ronald Nelson and although all of those convicted for the murder of Jerome Huey are all walking the streets, free on bail pending the outcome of the appeal in their cases, Fred Hampton, convicted of stealing ice cream for children, is imprisoned while his appeal is pending.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE

The pigs here in Milwaukee have started showing their colors during the past week.

On three occasions, car-mounted blunderbusses were pointed on five motions. No arrests, just harassment.

Thirty six pigs came down on 11 Panthers and others from the community who were lifting an unheeded tale to the street, the arrest of three separate arrests involving young black children.

The pigs pulled Milwaukee around our headquarters all night on Jan 6. At one point they knocked on the door and asked for "the leader" to come out and answer a complaint. After waiting about 5 minutes the pigs in our lobby drove away. We weren't prepared to deal with a ramp, but within 30 minutes the area was

filled with brothers and sisters from all around who heard there was potential trouble. The pigs were stopping people that tried to leave the area, up to 4 blocks away. The pigs finally left the area at 3:15 a.m. The people left at 4:00 a.m.

Fella Welch, acting field lieutenant was arrested and, charged with disorderly conduct for attempting to organize a group of so-called radicals who were sitting in to protest the conviction of the Milwaukee 14, a group of Draft Resistance people charged with breaking into the Selective Service Center and turning draft records.

We initiated a road strike, forcing an absentee landlord who had said now, refused to make repairs etc. When he saw our name on the strike, he agreed to

make repairs, and started immediately. All power to the two sisters that dealt with it.

Since the re-organizing of the Milwaukee Branch of the Party we have tripled circulation from 500 to 1500 papers and, are looking toward 5,000 as soon as papers become more available. There is also a new community awareness about the Party and, we're forming coalitions with the Brown Berets, Chicanos and young Puerto Ricans, similar to the coalition in Chicago.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE
FREE LIES
FREE ALL POLITICAL PRISONERS
WISCONSIN BPP

SAN DIEGO MURDER

At about 3:30 p.m. on May 13rd, in San Diego, California, 14, Jose Luis Party was murdered by a white supremacist Karanga. A member of 14 organization led by Jose Luis Karanga, Mr. Karanga, known as "the pig", is leading his white supremacist group in a battle attempt to destroy the Black Panther Party. These two warring parties have struck repeatedly at the Black Vanguard. As a strong supporter of the Black

Panther Party, I can understand why these white supremacist groups have not been exterminated. We, the black masses, should rise to fight and destroy the employers of the Black liberation struggle. We, the oppressed people of the world must unite and fight those who oppress us. We must join together in our just fight for freedom. We must fight fascism. LONG LIVE THE REVOLUTION OF DEFENSE

BLACK POWER TO BLACK PEOPLE
PANTHER POWER TO THE YAN-GEARS
ALL POWER TO THE OPPRESSED PRISONERS OF THE WORLD
OFF THE PIG
Chicago National
Supporter of the Black Panther Party
San Angeles, California
Eastern America



COMING SOON
THE
BIOGRAPHY OF
HUEY P.
NEWTON

By Bobby Seale
and Thomas M.
Know Huey. With
an introduction by
Eldridge Cleaver.



Bobby Rush, Illinois Deputy Minister of Defense for the Black Panther Party, informed the Daily Defender last weekend that he had received information that the U.S. government was beginning a crackdown on the party in an effort to "exterminate" them. Since then, several party

headquarters across the country have been raided by FBI agents, including the Chicago office, and on Tuesday, 16 local party members were indicted by a grand jury.

FASCIST PIGS RELEASE ALL OUT REPRESSION AGAINST THE PEOPLE AND THE PEOPLE'S ARMY

The major indictments returned by the Cook County Grand Jury against the Black Panther Party were a concerted effort by the federal government to destroy the leadership of the people's vanguard. But like their efforts in the past, these reactions have proven themselves to be paper tigers. The fascist pigs have re-double their attempts to destroy the Party along their frame-up of Deputy Chairman Fred Hampton. They tried to stop the Party and its programs.

The Justice Department and its agents are trying desperately to keep the truth from the people. Deputy Chairman Fred Hampton has been transferred from Joliet penitentiary to Menard penitentiary. The federal government neither notified his attorneys nor

his family of the transference June 1st. The government still refuses to accept his motions for a new trial and appeal bond.

The midnight indictments against the sixteen Panthers were immediately followed by the issuance of arrest warrants. The attorneys were not allowed to see their clients until the bond reduction hearings and information that was necessary to support the pleas for bond reduction was withheld.

The Black Panther Party has become the target of a growing nationwide campaign to cripple its operations in Chicago and other major cities. The Justice Department in Chicago admits that there had been connected "FBI activity and investigation" with regard to the Black Panther Party. The federal pigs have given the order to

unleash the repression against the Black Panther Party in order to stop the mass movement and its programs to aid the oppressed peoples.

The indictments followed the arrest of 11 Panthers on Sunday, June 8th. The Panthers were stopped in their car by fascist pigs. They were ordered out, searched, and physically abused. The car was searched without a warrant. The pigs then planted marijuana in the car. The Panthers, who are forbidden to carry marijuana in their possession, were later charged with possession of marijuana and released on \$1,000 bond. The pig press misled the public into believing that medical supplies that were in the car were chemicals for explosives. One sister was severely injured when the fascists

pushed her to the ground and kicked her in the back. She was pregnant and now is threatening miscarriage in the maternity ward of the Cook County Hospital.

On June 4th at 5:00 in the morning, 500 fascist pigs cornered off a 5 block area surrounding the office. Federal marshalls, FBI agents, and local pigs armed with machine guns, heavy weapons, bullet-proof vests, and a helicopter raided the office. Eight members of the Black Panther Party were arrested and charged with "harboring a fugitive" that the pigs never found. Following the arrests, fascist wrecking crews armed with hatchets went to work to destroy the office. All equipment and fixtures were either stolen or destroyed beyond repair. Some of the money was to buy food for the

Breakfast for Children Program and the establishment of a free medical center for the people of the community. Damage to the office was estimated at \$20,000.

The federal pigs have failed once again to destroy the Party. They have only rekindled our efforts. We will overcome every obstacle placed in our path and forge close links with the masses. We will make the masses understand that "without the people's army, the people have nothing."

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE
FREE ALL POLITICAL PRISONERS
Illinois Chapter
Black Panther Party

FASCIST PIGS ATTACK PREGNANT SISTER

power
to the people

Sixteen Panthers were busted Sunday evening about 8:35 p.m., about 12 blocks from the office. Six (6) brothers and five (5) sisters left the office about 8:00 p.m. on their way to see a Chicago film concerning the Panthers. They noticed they were being followed and turned a corner to stop for a second task force and pigs came converging on the car. People in the community started to come out to find out what was going on. These people knew they were Panthers and started to attack the pigs and threatened to come out with their pistols. The pigs then moved the brothers and sisters into waiting party wagons and police cars before an "accidental truck over" The Panthers proceeded to pass out literature while they were being arrested. The pigs said before they left the scene that the brothers and sisters would be charged with possession of chemical explosives and inciting a riot. The Panthers were then taken to the pig station where they were held for at least 5 hours before they

could find a charge to place on them. Shortly after Ann Campbell and I arrived at the pig station to get the people out, I asked the pig what the charges were and the pig told me they didn't know yet. I told the pig that they could not hold the brothers and sisters if they didn't have a charge. Ann and I immediately moved to phone the lawyers. About that time the sisters in the back-up had started to conduct a political education class and the people in the back-up started talking and the pigs said they were creating confusion and said they had to be moved. I saw the pigs bringing out Andrea Graves with her hands handcuffed behind her back. They pushed her and the rest of the sisters into another room. Sandra Rich - sixteen (16) years and 3 months pregnant was walking out of the back-up to the other room. Suddenly she wasn't walking but coughing. The fascist pigs started to push her, the pig knocked her down and kicked her in the back and stomach. They

then moved her into the room and made her stay there till she was transferred later that night to the Super Marxist Pig station at 11th and State Streets. The brothers remained at Wood Street Station. We left immediately for 11th St. Station, when we got there Sandra had been taken to Cook County Butcher Shop (hospital) for internal injuries. The sister's health was threatening miscarriage and bleeding from the kidneys. She was not allowed any visitors and was placed under guard. The next morning everyone was released to bond except Sandra; charges were as follows:

Sandra Rich - 19 years residing armed, interfering with a pig, possession of marijuana.
Andrea Graves - 20 years residing arrested, interfering with a police officer, possession of a hypodermic and marijuana. Bond \$1,000 Cash \$300.

The sister was allowed gradual care and medical supplies were in the car. All the brothers

were charged with possession of marijuana and interfering with a pig's arrest.

Jesse Ward - 24
Randall Hollins - 18
Terry Walker - 20
Walter Johnson - 18
Carroll Jones - 18
Samuel Latham - 18

The charges of possession are trumped up; no one had any arms. Andrea Graves and Jesse Ward had been arrested previously in the ramp on the office. Sandra was released after we went through a red bureaucratic fire and sent to Columbus Hospital and threatening miscarriage. Bonds were set at \$1,000 each and a \$100 to wait,

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE
Stephanie Linker
Cancer Staff
Illinois Chapter
Black Panther Party
PANTHER POWER TO THE VANGUARD

Power to the people!
Let this cry reach the highest of steeples,
Exterminate the Fascist Pigs
who exploit and capitalise,
upon the POVERTY-STRICKEN
MASS!

Power to the people!
Awake
Awake
THE CAPITALIST SOCIETY!
It is an ever meaning be,
for those in poverty!

Power to the people!
INFLUENCE
The solution
to BUREAUCRATIC VIOLENCE!

LONG LIVE THE PEOPLE'S
FREEDOM, JUSTICE, AND
QUALITY!

John Young, Panther Supporter



PEOPLE'S DEMONSTRATION AGAINST FILTH

The Kansas City Chapter found it necessary in order to gain increasing community support, serve the people of the community, and heighten the political awareness of the community to initiate a program dealing with an immediate problem of the community. The trash problem is a very real one and it demands immediate attention.

The city of Kansas City passed a no burning ordinance in March '68. Their justification of this action was to rid the city of polluted air. The air pollution problem may in fact be real, however the air pollution stemmed from the industries that are throughout the Kansas City area. By stopping the people from burning their trash, they did not curb polluted air produced by the factories and large industries like the Packing House.

As a result of this ordinance they left the city as a whole but the black community in particular suffers. The trash collectors in the city are charging two dollars a barrel for the removal of this trash. The people of the black community can afford the cost of trash service. The people of the black community find it impossible to

afford such luxuries. The average home in the community has air barrels filled to the brim of trash a week, which means a monthly cost of 40 to 50 dollars. The present situation breeds oppressive rents on this kind of oppressive action.

As a result of the build up of trash, that people can't afford to have moved, an eight year old black child, Chuck Haynes of 422 Flors was bitten by a snake while playing in his backyard. The people of the community are complaining they are so ashamed of a city that prides itself on cleanliness. The people wanted something done about the situation and the party is seeing that something is done. On Saturday, June 14, 1969 there will be a People's Demonstration Against Filth at the City Hall. The people of Kansas City are demanding that they either restore burning or they must plan an immediate collection system. This program is under the direction of Sister Andrea Weatherly, Community Secretary.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE
FBI-10117

TRASH, FILTH, DISEASE, DESTRUCTION, DEATH

Will your child be bitten by a snake while playing in the back-yard? Eight year old Chuck Haynes, of 422 Flors was bitten because of the increasing buildup of trash.

All the money being spent on yard care is wasted on the trash being up. Rats, snakes and other disease carrying vermin live and breed in this kind of filth. Who suffers the most from this? CHILDREN! They have to play in this disease infected environment. Why the build

up of filth? Why the rats and snakes that breed our children suffer?

The City "Department" on Kansas City passed a NO BURNING ordinance in an effort to curb air pollution. Now thousands of families whose only method of trash disposal was burning must suffer. Why? These same city officials failed to make provision for trash removal. Children are now bitten by snakes. Once beautiful yards

where children played are now overflowing with trash—the breeding ground of rats, snakes and disease. The city proposes a collection system for January 1, 1970. This means six more months of trash and filth. How many more children must suffer? When will your child be bitten by a snake or rat?

Black Panther Party
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Soul Ice.



OMAHA PURGE

Some of the counter revolutionary and anarchistic fools who have been EXPELLED are:

1. William Fletcher
2. Wesley Deha, Jr.
3. Yvonne Grayson
4. Marian Peary
5. Emil Jordan
6. Luther Payne
7. William Shelby
8. Al Moss, Jr.
9. Bradford Collins, Jr.
10. James McGarry
11. Buddy Kellogg
12. Arthur Green
13. Billy Trol
14. Kenneth Brown
15. Dwight Deha
16. Ann Spencer
17. Leroy Jones
18. Joyce Hopkins
19. Bernice Davis
20. Eugene Davis
21. Janet Wilson

We must affirm our discipline of the Party, namely:

1. the individual is subordinate to the organization;
2. the minority is subordinate to the majority;
3. the lower level is subordinate to the higher level;
4. the entire membership is subordinate to the Central Committee.

Whoever violates these articles of discipline damages Party unity.

Within the branch here in Omaha we have had repeated violations of these and other rules. We are moving to correct these violations, because we are going to have a WHITE, DISCIPLINED REVOLUTIONARY PARTY, or we won't have one at all.

Remember Brother Malcolm



born May 19, 1925 - Assassinated Feb. 21, 1965

THE KANSAS CITY, MO. PANTHERS RELATING TO HUMANITARIANISM

The community of Kansas City, Missouri can be proud of its Vanguard Party, the Black Panther Party. While on during political work, two members of the chapter, Tommy Robinson, the Deputy Minister of Labor, and Right-on Newman, Supervisor of the Breakfast for School Children Program, came upon a critical situation concerning some of the citizens of the Black Community. As they were driving down the block of 38th and the 1400s, they noticed smoke and flames coming from the Otello Apartments.

They immediately stopped to investigate and to be of any assistance as possible. They never had any concern for their own safety when they say that the people, our people are in danger. Their personal safety comes second when the people are in danger.

Brother Right-on investigated the situation with Brother Tommy and saw the need for their assistance.

He immediately ran into the building and saw some of the residents trying to climb out the second and third floor windows led them to safety. Upon his second attempt to the building became even more critical trapped in their apartments trying to find their way through the heavy smoke and led them through air. All together his efforts alone saved at least seven lives.

While Brother Right-on was helping out on the inside, Brother Tommy was outside searching the other residents who were jumping out the windows and leading someone to keep them from injuring themselves.

After making sure that all the people were safely out of the build-

ing at the front, they proceeded to check the back of the building in case there were others there.

By the time the Fire Department had arrived and took over with the firemen working, the majority of the residents were safely out of danger. The Panthers proceeded to comfort the folks with Brother Tom on being.

This is just an example of how the Black Panther Party, our community Vanguard Party is serving the people through the whole animal there work up injuries or deaths. We are aware of the needs of our community and are always there to assist in any way we can.

J. P. L. Hays
Bobby H. Robinson
Deputy Minister of Information
Kansas City Chapter
Black Panther Party



FASCIST ACTIONS AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF SACRAMENTO

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page 1000, we returned to get to the garage and the back was high. Eugene Primm and myself were sent back to the office to see what had happened. When we got back, the car was found to be empty. The car had been moved and damaged to us. The car was found to be empty.

The people who are called "black" have been persecuted in America. It is an ever recurring theme that "if people don't become involved, they'll be dead with their reactionary rulers in a revolutionary way, or be destroyed by the ruling elite of America."
 Please see the unique
 1st Photo in the "Slingshot" issue
 James Jones, U.S.A.



TO THOSE WHO SERVE THE PEOPLE

I think the breakfast for the children at St. Martin and DePores is a good idea. And I hope members of other churches should have a breakfast. I hope they have the breakfast in the summer because go the breakfast. And I like the Black Panther who are serving the breakfast. We get good breakfasts at the church. And so the children wouldn't get hungry and getting sick because they aren't getting

anything in their stomachs. And the children are thankful to the Panthers for having a breakfast here. Because I go to the breakfast and I appreciate being here and having something to eat in my stomach. I think the Panthers should have to have a breakfast at St. Augustine. And there are lots of children going to St. Augustine. Valerie Taylor

STUDIES DON'T FILL STOMACHS



REV. McGRUE EXPOSED AS LOCAL TYRANT

The Black Panther Party of Vallejo is moving into the third month serving the people with a free breakfast program. In the midst of setting up the program, the Party ran head-on into a problem with local tyrant Rev. McGrue over the use of his church which is conveniently located about three blocks from the school where most of the children are enrolled. Upon hearing this, a Party member along with Broadstreet National Coordinator Randolph Albury, paid McGrue a visit. When arriving at the dealership where McGrue is an agent, we found him lined back at his desk, surrounded by wait-in-will carpeting, secretaries and radiomen. After about 10 minutes of discussion with the shyster preacher, he began talking more modestly than he had the time before. First of all he threw the blame on his trustee board (which he controls), explaining that they were against the idea of breakfast for children at his church. Then this hypocrite had bigger preacher had the nerve to say that the Black Panther Party would have to make improvements to his own church by expanding his kitchen area. (The church kitchen is twice as large as our office.) Then he outlined his story around to join the task to the health department regulations. We have observed other instances when people have been to the health department without any complaints from the health department. The reason this shyster preacher wanted us to go



PANTHER COMMUNITY SERVICE free breakfast for children is being served at St. Martin DePores Rectory.

tion hall. Shown here pouring milk for three youngsters is Black Panther Warren Heart.

FREE BREAKFAST IN BALTIMORE

The Baltimore Chapter of the Black Panther Party initiated its Breakfast Program at St. Martin DePores Recreation Hall, at Valley and Lager Streets.

At the present time the Black Panthers are feeding 150 to 170 children on a daily basis. Due to the bad trash system, here in Baltimore it is necessary for the Black Panther Party to buy 50% of the children in the Breakfast Program. It is evident that the community is in favor of this program by the amount of children that

are being fed. We will continue this program throughout the summer into the coming school year. However, we will feed twice as many this summer. Instead of a Breakfast Program, we will have a lunch program during the summer.

It is the goal of the Black Panther Party to feed all of the hungry children in Maryland. A second recreation hall was donated to the people by a revolutionary attorney, Mrs. Lena Lee, also a legislator in the state of Maryland. This hall

will be used to feed children, conduct classes in literature, administration, law and hold rallies for our young people. Also in the same block the Black Panther is going to stage a revolutionary movie. At our first showing, we will have "Od The Pig" and "Black".

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE
FRED BUCKE
Ops, Warren Heart
Baltimore Chapter
Black Panther Party



STILL HUNGRY IN FASCIST U.S.A.

PANTHERS ON MOVE

'TO A UNITED FRONT'

by NANA

For "Mama" (most often called just Mama) is the Black Panther Party Deputy Minister of Information—the man to do Cleaver's job while Eldridge is out of town. Mama, an LA man, is familiar to some, that is they've heard his name, but this important Black Panther is, for the most part, not well known outside the Party.

When I arrived at Black Panther Party National Headquarters to find out more about the various raids against Panther offices and about the "United Front Against Fascism" conference, Mama was the one with whom I talked.

"Five raids in the last four days" is the way he began. "Chicago, Detroit, Denver, Utah, and Philadelphia."

"Duh!" said Mama, a bit of amusement in his voice. "I didn't even know that we had an office in Utah but the pigs arrested some Panthers there."

Mama thinks that the proposed conference, "A United Front Against Fascism" is one of the main reasons for the police repression. "While against Party Offices had become a very real thing but since we announced the conference they've started to happen day and night."

There are several reasons that the present power could feel threatened by this conference, due to begin at Black Panther Headquarters on July 18. The first is the most obvious—a proposed united front to fight Fascism.

This could be a threat if the government is indeed as Mama says that it is, intent on becoming

Fascist. From Huey P. Newton's words, "Capitalism plus racism equals Fascism", Mama moved on to explain the trend.

"The evolution of every capitalist country in the last 50 years has been towards Fascism. The Military-Industrial Complex is Fascist. The Security state is the evolution of Fascism. The pigs are everywhere you go, in the schools, on college campuses—go down to highways and there's a pig with a big .357 Magnum and a long stick walking up and down supposed to be looking so that you don't steal something."

"And all that Fascism goes under the name of 'Law and Order'. But if they need to, they stretch the law a little and if that don't work they'll just make a new law."

That the conference is an attempt to stem this trend is probably not much of a threat in itself. The name has an old left ring, and the idea speaks of labor and newly old left rhetorical exchanges. But now it comes from the Black Panther Party—an or-

ganization with powerful characteristics—and the call has gone out to everyone.

The head of the conference announcement became to "Peoples Organizational Groups: National Political Parties Workers' Syndicates Peasant Farmers' Towns Landless Poor People, Black People, Mexican Americans, Puerto Ricans, Chinese, Etc., Etc."

According to Mama, there are only three groups that will not be allowed to attend: the Ku Klux Klan's cultural nationalist group, the CIA and The FBI. But he says that the last two will be there anyway.

"There's only two requirements for attendance: first you've got to be against Fascism, second you can't be anti-communist. The scope of the Black Liberation movement is too narrow, but the people have a vague understanding of what Fascism is, you dig. Anybody with half a brain can relate to a struggle against Fascism."

"Yes, Black people have been hit by pigs brutally and kept for a long time, but the white people

are getting a crash course—The short, violent summer course. If you got long hair, they shoot for your legs, if you're black then they shoot for your back."

Which brings us to another threat that this conference could hold. It could begin to counter-act what Mama calls "the assimilation" of the Party by the media.

At Mama began to talk about this, after asked for the first and only time in the interview. "They keep putting those black nationalists on TV. Those spiritual fools blowing their madams, talking about looking and killing white people—they don't represent the broad masses of Black People. The masses aren't overtly racist—they're just certain phobias and paranoias about white people but they're not racist."

"What these programs do is condition the viewers that everything that happens to the people is cool. It's like in Germany—the burning of the Reichstag by the Nazis."

So if everybody that the Panthers want to come to the conference, so come, then this personal contact should do a lot to dispel the media myth.

Mama's hopes run high. "This conference is going to point to the realities, if it comes off right the ABC, CBS and the rest are going to have to work overtime to re-program the people."

One of the major things that is hoped will come out of the conference is the demand for community control of the police. The beginning of this program will be the circulation of petitions based on this demand.

Each petition will be tailored

to the community that it is to be circulated in, but they will all center on three main points:

1. The conduct and the policies of the police will be under the control of "community elected neighborhood councils." 2. The councils shall have "the power to discipline officers" and 3. All police officers must live in the department they work in."

"Do you think that any of those pigs who shoot down people in Berkeley would live in Berkeley," said Mama, emphasizing the importance of point three.

Mama sees the petitions and the proposals that they contain, as the final test. He thinks the police will harass those who try to circulate the petitions and he expects things to get much worse for the Party between now and conference time.

"We'll find out," said Mama at the interview's end. "Social justice is the criteria of truth."

Yet finally the biggest threat is probably the Black Panther Party itself; a Party that sees what needs to be done and does it.

"The pigs didn't think that we were a threat—you know a bunch of San Quentin drop-outs" is how Mama put it. "But we aren't hung up in uniforms or tactics, in fact the uniforms are almost totally gone—we're the only freedomers who still wear leather do it because they can't afford nothing else."

"We're only interested in doing what has to be done, if someone comes along with a better program, a better way of getting things done, then right on—we're in."

That's a threat, right on.



Photo by Robert R. Taylor

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IRELAND OPPRESSED FIGHT BACK

Apparently tired of being pushed around by reactionaries without making any retaliation, the Ulster Civil Rights Movement has started to fight back. The rank and file have given practical evidence of their ability to struggle by roiling reactionaries and armed police in several battles, succeeding in asserting control over working class areas in some cities. CP and liberal leaders of the civil rights campaign are seriously alarmed by the rising tide of rank and file militancy and the broad popular response of the masses to the call for militant action. At the time of writing the distraught "non-violent" leaders were making frantic efforts to stop street demonstrations until they re-establish control and turn the movement back to "non-violence." However the people have learned from experience that they are now able to win local battles and defend themselves against reactionary violence as they are unlikely to respond again to calls for "non-violent" action.

A demand has been advanced for disbandment of the "Special" police. These "B Specials" consists of over 25,000 armed civilians deputized as special police and presently on call. The force is one

hundred per cent Protestant and members of the Orange Order. Its main social composition is small businessmen and petty landowners whose conservative attitude toward property rights and fear and hatred for the working people is notorious. The "Specials" have been used exclusively against Catholic workers and the Catholic poor. It has been the good fortune of the Ulster bourgeoisie that they have never had to use the "Specials" against striking Protestant workers, for that would certainly unite Protestant and Catholic workers against them and put an end to the "B Specials."

But even with their armed "Specials" Ulster reaction has not been able to mobilize sufficient force to cope with the situation. Once again "laborer" Harold Wilson, who found it impossible to take action against Smith in Rhodesia, has answered a call for help from extreme right-wing reaction. British troops are deployed in force in Ulster for the protection of the Orange Unionist rulers. However, the development has its positive side: for the first time in almost 50 years it has made absolutely clear that the Unionist Government can exist only because it is propped up by British powers—a power

which is becoming less reliable with each passing day.

The introduction of British troops into the struggle will raise some interesting problems. Wilson will want desperately to tread

on "middle ground," but there is no middle ground in Ulster. The claim of the British Prime Minister that troops will be used to guard vital installations, and will not participate directly in the struggle, is patent nonsense. Even if they are restricted to guard duty—and they will not be—they are still participating by releasing armed police from this task to be used against the people. A particular problem which Wilson will face is the fact that Ulster Protestants will not welcome the introduction of British troops.

The Dublin government, which has been betraying Republican interests to the British imperialists for years, are also going to be confronted with some problems. Dublin, which claims to represent the national interests of all Ireland, is going to have to make an open declaration on its attitude toward the open armed occupation of a part of Ireland by troops of the nation's traditional imperialist enemy. Not for long will Lynch and his Ministers be

able to hide behind empty appeals to U Thant and the United Nations, the Irish people will demand more positive action in defence of Ireland's independence.

The peoples' movement in Ulster is certainly going to win some important concessions which will make for a far-reaching qualitative change in the political situation. For over 50 years Ulster reaction has been able to stay in the saddle with the use of divisive tactics. The Protestant workers have been corrupted with special consideration on jobs, housing, electoral rights, welfare benefits, etc. But when the Catholic workers win some important concessions—such as the vote in municipal elections—the privileged position of the Protestant workers will become badly exposed and it will become clear that workers, both Protestant and Catholic, have common problems which they can solve only through united action. It is possible that out of this crisis the Irish people will once more become united in the fight for a common objective, without regard for religious beliefs.

PERU MIDDLE CLASS NATIONALIZES OIL

On October 3, Peru's president, Belaunde Terry, was overthrown in a bloodless military coup by "pro-nationalist" officers angered by his refusal to nationalize Standard Oil's International Petroleum Company. The military then seized the I. P. C. holdings and demanded from the United States \$1 billion worth of profits taken from the country by the I. P. C. over the past 40 years.

Behind the move lies the fact of more than four decades of robbery by Rockefeller's standard oil. The oilfields which the militarists have recently moved to nationalize were grabbed off by Standard in the 1920's. In the years following, Rockefeller acquired title to 135,000 acres of prime Peruvian land in the name of the Cerro de Pasco Corporation, and in 1964, through the agency of Chase-Manhattan Bank, bought up the 45-branch Banco Continental of Peru.

Subsoil rights to the oil-bearing area of Peru were originally held by British capitalists who acquired them from a corrupt government in violation of a law prohibiting the alienation of such rights from the nation. Title was transferred to an English-owned company in Canada, International Petroleum, whose stock was later bought up by Standard Oil of New Jersey.

Once before, in 1963, the Peruvian Congress moved to nationalize the oilfields but retreated when the British government, on the grounds that it had been party to the original award, and the Canadian government, on the ground that the company was "Canadian", resisted nationalization. With Britain and Canada ready and willing to run interference for the Yankee billion-saires the United States government was able to remain discreetly in the background, stating only that they would accept any settlement satisfactory to the company. Now Washington finds it necessary to

take direct charge, claiming that the Canadian incorporation of the company is meaningless, that the United States is the aggrieved party.

This is an interesting development in view of the claim advanced in some quarters that Canada is an imperialist country in her own right because some U. S.-owned subsidiaries handle a certain amount of overseas investments from here. When a push comes to shove, the Yankees are quick to show who is the real boss of the show.

When Belaunde Terry made some quite modest demands on Standard and other interests, amounting to no more than a request for payment of back taxes, the United States, aided by Britain, put pressure on his government. Belaunde finally capitulated to the pressure and monetarized the company completely from paying any back debts to Peru.

Just as in all Latin American countries, living conditions for the Peruvian working people are absolutely deplorable. Unemployment, starvation, "homes" constructed of cardboard and tin, tens of thousands of sick and hungry people huddled into the poverty ghettos, known as "hazards", than rim the cities like Lima, and landless peasants who own not even a patch of soil on which to grow a few vegetables, even as Yankee land-grabbers carve out virtual kingdoms for themselves. The already unbelievable horrible conditions of the people grow daily worse while a few foreign investors reap untold wealth from the tortured land.

A relative handful of traitor puppets have been content to sell out the country's natural resources and act as overseers and hangmen for U. S. imperialists. The payments made to this traitor class are invested abroad, against the day when they will have to flee

the wrath of the people.

Discontent against these conditions, arising from foreign domination and exploitation, has been intensifying over the years to the point where workers and peasants have mounted sharp struggles against the imperialist exploiters and the regime of national betrayal. The only response of the imperialists to date has been a demand for more repressive measures and an increase of taxes on the Peruvian people to provide still more facilities for the exploiters and to pay the expenses of the state bureaucracy.

Given the conditions that exist in Peru it is inevitable that the middle class and the lower ranks of the national bourgeoisie would be squeezed economically and become repulsed toward the regime, particularly since they are not allowed a share of the profits of national betrayal. These groups entertain desires to transform the administration into one that more closely represents their class interests. But they carefully avoid mobilization of the masses and revolution. Rather than chance an appeal to the working people, they will seek means to achieve their ends by "peaceful and orderly means" if the opportunity should present itself. And in Peru the opportunity did, indeed, come to hand.

The officer corps of the armed forces is manned mainly by members of these dissatisfied elements and when the crisis in the semi-colonial economy becomes sharp enough they tend to side with the class group from which they sprang—especially if there appears to be real hope of success. In Peru conditions were ripe for this type of action and the army was able to organize a coup that completely avoided any appeal to the mass of the people.

Instead, the militarists use the visit of some Russian warships and hastily-signed trade agree-



Oil companies dominate building in Lima—and rest of the country.

ments with Russia's eastern European colonies to try to bolster their image of "national independence" from U. S. imperialism. But without a mass base the army administration cannot last. The internal contradictions that tear apart the various elements that support the dictatorship will cause it to break up from within and U. S. pressure from without—including armed intervention if deemed necessary—will hasten the development of the internal factors. The army administration will quite soon be confronted with the choice of mobilizing the masses for revolutionary anti-imperialist resistance, or of coming to terms with the foreign exploiters, which will mean capitulation.

Being exploiters themselves, and panic-stricken at the idea of armed revolution, it is a foregone conclusion that this administration as presently constituted, will choose the path of capitulation to the imperialists. The fight for national independence in Peru will make real advances only when the working people take over the leadership of the anti-imperialist forces.



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DETROIT BRANCH RAIDED BY FASCIST PIGS

The local fascist pig force raided the office of the Black Panther Party located at 1305 Street and Becket Avenue in Detroit. Over 10 pigs surrounded the block of the 13th Street area as approximately 10 pigs forced their way into the office. The pigs allegedly were in search of a pig walkie talkie type radio, rammed the office, harassed a sister and two brothers, and took pictures of all the pigs for future information to aid in the fascist takeover by this racist fascist structure.

After staying in the office for over an hour supposedly in search of a walkie talkie (How pigs expect to find a walkie talkie while taking pictures of bits of paper no one will ever know), they stole from the office items belonging to the people. A typewriter and adding machine which was used to aid and corroborate the trading of CHILDREN to the FIVE DOLLAR PART FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN PROGRAM, was taken by the pigs,

and never returned.

Three Black Panther Party members were arrested and released four hours later after the fascist pigs admitted that there was no radio in the office, which they wanted was taken for, and that the typewriter and adding machine which the pigs stole from the people could not be connected as being stolen by the Panther members arrested. Those arrested were Five Dr. Abdul Jay Children's Coordinator, Andy Thompson, Five Dr. Abdul Jay Children's Coordinator, and the Officer of the Law, Two Williams (no relation).

The people in the area started after the pigs and in the process the building as the pigs had a trap set for us. The safety of the people is always the top priority. These people wanted to and did protect those who had been arrested. They are FIVE DOLLAR PART FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN PROGRAM, and aiding them in the fascist oppression.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

POLITICAL TRIALS IN GREECE

ATHENS—A new wave of political trials appeared in Greece, amid growing criticism of the repressive nature of the military junta.

Jail terms of six months to life have been meted out already to 28 Greeks, convicted of "subversive activities" before special military tribunals. Six other trials of a total of 36 defendants are set to be held soon.

Most of the accused have been involved in underground resistance movements; the mass printing and distribution of propaganda against the military regime is a crime punishable under martial law, by terms of up to five years.

LETTERS FROM BUNCHY'S MOTHER

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Seale:
Words cannot express the grati-

tude I feel, for you thinking of me on Mother's Day.
Bunchy would have liked it too. Please accept my thanks from very proud to be the mother and grandmother of many proud warriors.
Nola Carter

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Edridge Claverie:

Knowing that you two were Bunchy's close friends and he had so much respect for Edridge, and for you to have his mother invited on Mother's Day, does something to me and for me, I cannot put into words what I feel but thank you and I am proud to be the mother and grandmother of many proud warriors.
Nola Carter

FORT DIX STOCKADE REBELLION

New York, N.Y., June 9, 1969—On Thursday, June 5 a rebellion broke out in Cell Blocks 66 and 67 at the Fort Dix Stockade.

A stockade built for 500 men, but holds 400, the men in Cell Blocks 66 and 67 were made to stand in formation for five hours in the hot sun, when taken to the mess hall. The men were forced to wait in line three hours for dinner. At dinner, only half the men were given water. One prisoner, Chabot, was put in segregation as punishment for refusing water.

After returning to the Cell Blocks, the men in Cell Blocks 66 and 67 set mattresses on fire, smashed windows and threw materials out the windows; 150 men were involved in the rebellion. Also involved was Cell Block 68.

Immediately, 500 troops (NIMs) were brought in, using tear gas, to put down the rebellion. Two members of the American Servicemen's Union, Bill Drakefield and Terry King, were in Cell Block 67. Drakefield was beaten unconscious. King and Drakefield, along with 13 other men, were taken to segregation. ASM MEMBER, TOM TECK, A BLACK G.I. WAS ALSO PUT IN SEGREGATION AS A "SUSPECTED" MEMBER OF THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY.

When the New York office of the American Servicemen's Union heard of the rebellion, they immediately contacted the Jc Jc authorities and demanded from the Public Information Officer, Col. Neader that the ASD be allowed to investigate conditions in the stockade. That no charges be brought against the men and that the men be let out of segregation and that the names of the men injured be immediately released to the public. American Servicemen's Union
150 Fifth Avenue, Room 630
New York, New York 10010
212-676-1240
Address Bill, Chairman

FREE HUEY DEMONSTRATION IN SCANDINAVIA



Black Panther Spokesman Connie Matthews Speaks at Free Huey Rally in Sweden

When Bobby Seale and Ray M. Mervin were in Scandinavia—Denmark, Norway, Finland and Sweden—they established in each of these countries solidarity committees for the third world peoples' revolutionary struggle.

In the very last part of April the people in Scandinavia were informed by these committees that the Black Panther Party in cooperation with other organizations in many cities had arranged demonstrations in support of the demand that Huey be immediately set free; if necessary, on bail.

As a result of this information, it was decided to arrange demonstrations in each of the Scandinavian capitals in front of the American embassies to which to show our solidarity with the just demand that Huey P. Newton be set free.

Because of the short warning,

it was impossible to arrange mass rallies in front of the embassies, but we decided instead to use this opportunity to inform the people in Scandinavia about the persecution waged by the US Air power structure against the Black Panther Party and especially about the criminal imprisonment of Huey, in Oslo, Norway, in Stockholm, Sweden, and in Helsinki, Finland. Informational leaflets were distributed and several people in the big May Day workers' demonstrations marched with signs demanding the immediate release of Huey. Smaller numbers of people gathered in front of the various American embassies.

In Copenhagen, Denmark, the Danish Left Wing Socialist Party in cooperation with other revolutionary organizations arranged a big demonstration in a park, where, where students and workers were

gathered, exhibitions were arranged about the third world liberation struggle, about police brutality, about the heroic struggle of the Vietnamese people and about the exploitation of the Danish working class. Information about the US plot's persecution of the Black Panther Party and about the nature of the trial against Huey were distributed. The two representatives of the Black Panther Party in Copenhagen, Connie Matthews and Skip Malone spoke to the big crowd.

After the rally, more than 400 people walked with posters and big red flags to the American embassy where Connie Matthews again spoke about the reasons that Huey should be set free.

In the days before the first of May, several revolutionary groups sent telegrams of solidarity to the Black Panther Party and demands

to the State Department saying that Huey was held illegally and demanding his release.

The Danish Left Wing Socialist Party drafted on the third of May in the final session of its 11 National Congress the following resolution: It was unanimously adopted.

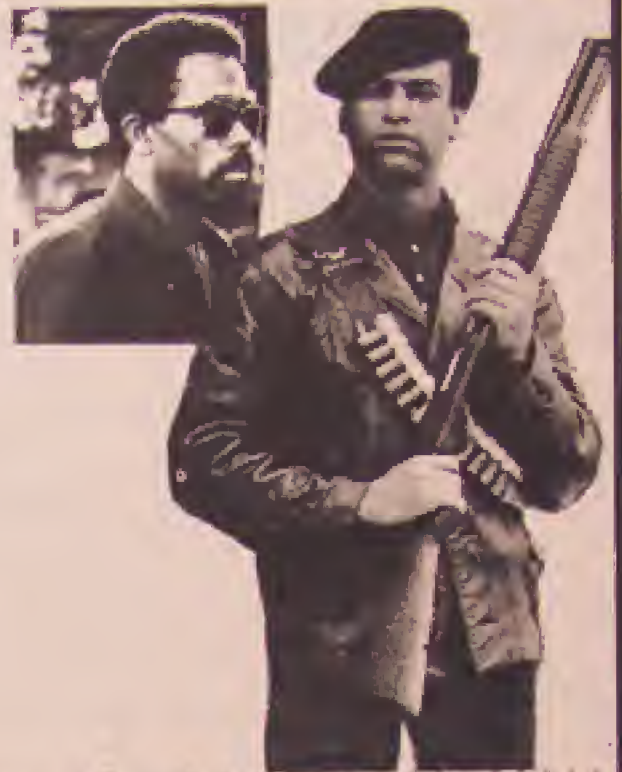
"The second National Congress of the Danish Left Wing Socialist party declares its solidarity with the struggle of the Black Panther Party as the vanguard organization of the oppressed American peoples' revolutionary fight. We condemn the persecution and oppression of the Black Panther Party committed by the U.S. power structure. We express our deep admiration of the heroic struggle you are fighting right in the belly of imperialism and condemn our will to fight in solidarity with the oppressed peoples of the world until victory."



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PIGS DRAW BLANK IN PANTHER RAID



Three persons arrested in a raid on the Detroit Black Panthers headquarters Thursday morning were released less than four hours later when the Wayne County Prosecutors refused to recommend warrants.

Detroit police detectives arrested the three on investigation of the possession of stolen property after officers quickly raided the store-front office at 8171 Twelfth in search of a stolen police radio.

Police said they did not find the radio, but did discover a typewriter and adding machine that had been reported as stolen.

The prosecutor said, however, that there was no evidence the three persons arrested had any knowledge of how the stolen property was obtained, and they were released.

Police confiscated the typewriter and adding machine along with a set of brass knuckles discovered in a desk drawer.

RELEASED were Leo Williams, 37, of 12025 Dequindre, Anita Hartman, 20, of 2444 Ford and Jim M. Williams, 24, of 4212 Larchmont.

Leo Williams told police he was in charge of the office.

Detectives in unmarked cars converged on the storefront office just north of Eving at about 10:30 a.m. Thursday.

There was no resistance when about 10 detectives entered the building through front and back doors. Four persons in the neighborhood were aware a raid was under way.

The police did not leave the office for more than an hour, at 11:00 a.m., when several other unmarked and marked patrol cars pulled up to the building.

After the suspects were taken to police cars, the office was padlocked.

The office is in a two-story block of small stores on the west side of Twelfth between Euclid and Philadelphia.

The windows are papered over with Red Chinese posters, quotations from Mao Tse-tung and portraits of Black children and gunbearing militiamen.

Nearly three weeks ago the Black Panthers took over the office a few months ago.

A small group militated around the office after police left, but the scene was generally quiet.

DETROIT AND Federal Police on investigation again said there was no connection between the raid in Detroit and the other raids on Black Panther offices in Chicago and Detroit since Wednesday.

Police were to pick up suspects in the afternoon after a three-week period in Chicago's last month.

In Chicago, police and FBI agents raided a premises and seized a gun and a supply of ammunition last Wednesday night.

In Detroit, a Black Panther was taken into the basement of a Black Panther headquarters Thursday morning to flush out two suspects in the future case.

October 1966

Black Panther Party Platform and Program

What We Want What We Believe



FREE HUEY

Minister of Defense, Black Panther Party

1. We want freedom. We want power to determine the destiny of our Black Community.

We believe that black people will not be free until we are able to determine our destiny.

2. We want full employment for our people.

We believe that the federal government is responsible and obligated to give every man employment or a guaranteed income. We believe that if the white American businessmen will not give full employment, then the means of production should be taken from the businessmen and placed in the community so that the people of the community can organize and employ all of its people and give a high standard of living.

3. We want an end to the robbery by the white man of our Black Community.

We believe that the racist government has robbed us and now we are demanding the overdue debt of forty acres and two mules. Forty acres and two mules was promised 100 years ago as restitution for slave labor and mass murder of black people. We will accept the payment in currency which will be distributed to our many communities. The Germans are now aiding the Jews in Israel for the genocide of the Jewish people. The Germans slaughtered six million Jews. The American racist has taken part in the slaughter of over fifty million black people; therefore, we feel that this is a modest demand that we make.

4. We want decent housing, fit for shelter of human beings.

We believe that if the white landlords will not give decent housing to our black community, then the housing and the land should be made into cooperatives so that our community, with government aid, can build and make decent housing for its people.

5. We want education for our people that exposes the true nature of this decadent American society. We want education that teaches us our true history and our role in the present-day society.

We believe in an educational system that will give to our people a knowledge of self. If a man does not have knowledge of himself and his position in society and the world, then he has little chance to relate to anything else.

6. We want all black men to be exempt from military service.

We believe that Black people should not be forced to fight in the military service to defend a racist government that does not protect us. We will not fight and kill other people of color in the world who, like black people, are being victimized by the white racist government of America. We will protect ourselves from the force and violence of the racist police and the racist military, by whatever means necessary.

7. We want an immediate end to POLICE BRUTALITY and MURDER of black people.

We believe we can end police brutality in our black community by organizing black self-defense groups that are dedicated to defending our black community from racist police oppression and brutality. The Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States gives a right to bear arms. We therefore believe that all black people should arm themselves for self-defense.

8. We want freedom for all black men held in federal, state, county and city prisons and jails.

We believe that all black people should be released from the many jails and prisons because they have not received a fair and impartial trial.

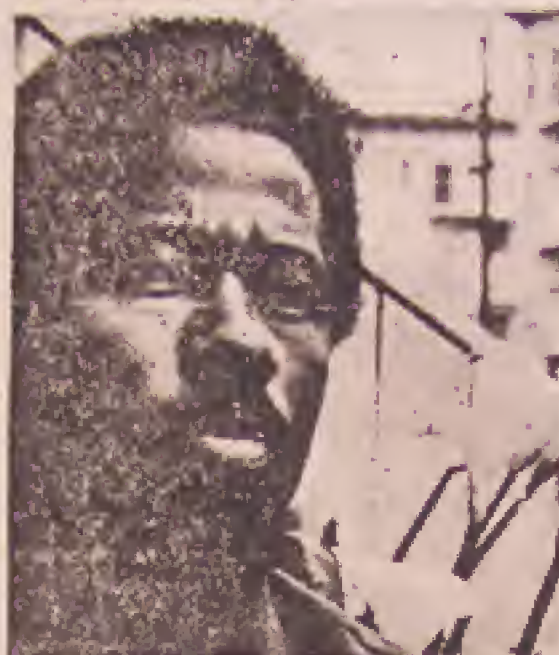
9. We want all black people when brought to trial to be tried in court by a jury of their peer group or people from their black communities, as defined by the Constitution of the United States.

We believe that the courts should follow the United States Constitution so that black people will receive fair trials. The 14th Amendment of the U.S. Constitution gives a man a right to be tried by his peer group. A peer is a person from a similar economic, social, religious, geographical, environmental, historical and racial background. To do this the court will be forced to select a jury from the black community from which the black defendant came. We have been, and are being tried by all-white juries that have no understanding of the "average reasoning man" of the black community.

10. We want land, bread, housing, education, clothing, justice and peace. And as our major political objective, a United Nations-supervised plebiscite to be held throughout the black colony in which only black colonial subjects will be allowed to participate, for the purpose of determining the will of black people as to their national destiny.

When, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume, among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the laws of nature and nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. That, to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed; that whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or to abolish it, and to institute a new government, laying its foundation on such principles, and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their safety and happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shown, that mankind are more disposed to suffer while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But, when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same object, evinces a design to reduce them under absolute despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such government, and to provide new guards for their future security.



SOUL ON ICE?

"IT IS ONLY A MATTER OF TIME UNTIL THE QUESTION OF THE PRISONER'S DEBT TO SOCIETY VERSUS SOCIETY'S DEBT TO THE

PRISONER IS INJECTED FORCEFULLY INTO NATIONAL AND STATE POLITICAL, INTO THE CIVIL, AND HUMAN RIGHTS STRUGGLE, AND INTO THE CONSCIOUSNESS OF THE BODY POLITIC. IT IS AN EXPLOSIVE ISSUE WHICH GOES TO THE VERY ROOT OF AMERICA'S SYSTEM OF JUSTICE, THE STRUCTURE OF CRIMINAL LAW, THE PREVAILING BELIEFS AND ATTITUDES TOWARD A CONVICTED FELON." (SOUL ON ICE, P.59)

Eldridge Cleaver made the decision to politically exile himself November 27th, on the basis that the Adult Authority made an outlaw decision, and that he has been denied his constitutional right to due process of law.

The retention of Cleaver's parole was illegal, because no parole violation was enumerated.

The Adult Authority parole board has tried to maintain that Glover violated his parole by having a rifle in his possession, and by associating with individuals of bad reputation. This contention, we will show, is false. The Adult Authority version contradicts the Supreme Court order itself.

"... Cleaver's only handling of a firearm (the rifle) was in obedience to a police command. He did not handle a hand gun at all. There was nothing one way or the other to show a conspiracy or a situation calling for the application of the doctrine of aiding and abetting. Hence, nothing supported either the possession of a firearm or the assault charge.

- As to the charge of association with individuals of bad reputation, the report indicated that two or three of those named had "police records," but nothing to show whether any had been convicted of anything, or whether Cleaver knew of their arrest record." (Superior Court at 137, 138, 140, 141).

Parole Counsel was denied due process of law by being denied opportunity to present his case.

Why was Cleaver returned to prison as a parole violator if documented evidence to the contrary had been presented in his defense? To answer that question, one must examine the Adult Authority. This board has the right to arbitrarily revoke or suspend parole on any individual. At the same time, the Adult Authority maintains—falsely—that Cleaver has the opportunity to defend himself at a hearing. This is how it works.

"A parolee is served with violation charges, is interviewed, is given a hearing (before the Adult Authority itself, the charging party) at which the parolee may 'plead' to the parole violation charges, and is afforded an opportunity to present his defense."

"At the 'hearing' a janitor is denied the right to counsel, may not have an independent and impartial officer to conduct the hearing and make decisions." (*Petition for Hearing in the Supreme Court*, p. 17)

Not only does the Adult Authority hold secret hearings, but it also refuses to notify persons under its jurisdiction of its procedures, or of its variable definitions of what constitutes a parole violation. This secrecy and vagueness is in direct violation of federal law which requires agencies to publish their procedures "for guidance of the public."

"Petitioner (Cleaver) is immediately and seriously prejudiced by the Adult Authority's unlawful refusal to publish its regulations, since he is to be imprisoned by virtue of an action which the Adult Authority still seeks to gild in this 'veil of secrecy.' (Petitioner has Hearing in the Supreme Court, p. 12)

Yes, the Adult Authority acted unethically and illegally. Its decision was an outright abridgment. Cleaver had no chance of obtaining "parole" from these Star Chamber proceedings. Why then wouldn't the U.S. Supreme Court hear Cleaver's case? There are, we believe, three reasons why the case wasn't accepted. The first is that any fair minded court would obviously have released Cleaver, thereby setting a precedent. The second is that thousands of cases of alleged parole violation from all over California and other states would be subject to reversal. Thirdly, the illegal functioning of the Adult Authority would come under attack. The U.S. Supreme Court just couldn't afford to consider the Cleaver case during this turbulent period.

Elizabeth Gleason is a Victorian novelist, whose close political persecution by British authorities is the

¹⁰⁰ The uncontradicted evidence presented in these cases indicates that the petitioners had been a married couple. This point is by far the most undisputed from the fact of a personal relationship, but from his conduct as a spouse in pursuing political goals, goals which were different in character

his contemporaries. Not only was there absence of cause for the cancellation of parole; it was the product of a type of pressure unbecoming, to say the least, to the law enforcement paraphernalia of this state."

Cleaver is in political exile because a man of his convictions cannot get justice here. Indeed, if we are to give more than lip service to the concepts of freedom and justice, we must support him. The work to get him discharged from parole must continue. An intense publicity campaign is necessary now to bring to the public the legal defense and arguments which were carried to the courts with no satisfaction. We must all work together to focus attention on this case. This is not an issue of one man's freedom, but a broad struggle which affirms the right of all of us to speak out politically in this country. If Cleaver is not allowed his freedom, it is just a matter of time until all our freedoms are further reduced. This is not a personal struggle but a political one.

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Every member of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY throughout the country of earth America must abide by these rules as functional members of this party. CENTRAL COMMITTEE members, CENTRAL STAFFS, and LOCAL STAFFS, including all capitans subordinate to other national, state, and local leadership of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY will enforce these rules. Length of suspension or other disciplinary action necessary for violation of these rules will depend on national decisions by national, state or state area, and local committees and staffs where said rule or rules of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY WERE VIOLATED.

Every member of the party must know these verbatim by heart. And apply them daily. Each member must report any violation of these rules to their leadership or they are considered delinquent and are also subjected to suspension by the BLACK PANTHER PARTY.

THE RULES ARE:

1. No party member can have narcotics or weed in his possession while doing party work.
2. Any party member found shooting narcotics will be expelled from this party.
3. No party member can be DRUNK while doing daily party work.
4. No party member will violate rules relating to office work, general meetings of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY, and meetings of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY ANYWHERE.
5. No party member will USE, POINT, or FIRE a weapon of any kind unnecessarily or accidentally at anyone.
6. No party member can join any other army force other than the BLACK LIBERATION ARMY.
7. No party member can have a weapon in his possession which DRINK or loaded off narcotics or weed.
8. No party member will commit any crimes against other party members or BLACK people at all, and cannot steal or take from the people, not even a needle or a piece of thread.
9. When arrested BLACK PANTHER MEMBERS will give only name, address, and will sign nothing. Legal first aid must be understood by all Party members.
10. The Ten Point Program and platform of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY must be known and understood by each Party member.
11. Party Communications must be National and Local.
12. The 10/40/10-program should be known by all members and also understood by all members.
13. All Finance officers will operate under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Finance.
14. Each person will submit a report of daily work.
15. Each Sub-Section Leader, Section Leader, Lieutenant, and Captain must submit Daily reports of work.
16. All Panthers must learn to operate and service weapons correctly.
17. All Leadership personnel who expel a member must submit this information to the Editor of the Newspaper, so that it will be published in the paper and will be known by all chapters and branches.
18. Political Education Classes are mandatory for general membership.
19. Daily office personnel assigned to respective offices each day should be there. All others are to sell papers and do Political work out in the community, including Captains, Section Leaders, etc.
20. COMMUNICATIONS — all chapters must submit weekly reports in writing to the National Headquarters.
21. All Branches must implement First Aid and/or Medical Cadres.
22. All Chapters, Branches, and components of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY must submit a monthly Financial Report to the Ministry of Finance, and also the Central Committee.
23. Everyone in a leadership position must read no less than two hours per day to keep abreast of the changing political situation.
24. No chapter or branch shall accept grants, poverty funds, money or any other aid from any government agency without contacting the National Headquarters.
25. All chapters must adhere to the policy and the ideology laid down by the CENTRAL COMMITTEE of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY.
26. All Branches must submit weekly reports in writing to their respective Chapters.


8 POINTS OF ATTENTION

- 1) Speak politely.
- 2) Pay fairly for what you buy.
- 3) Return everything you borrow.
- 4) Pay for anything you damage.
- 5) Do not hit or swear at people.
- 6) Do not damage property or crops of the poor, oppressed, or masses.
- 7) Do not take liberties with women.
- 8) If we ever have to take captives do not threaten them.

3 MAIN RULES OF DISCIPLINE

- 1) Obey orders in all your actions.
- 2) Do not take a single needle or a piece of thread from the poor and oppressed masses.
- 3) Turn in everything captured from the attacking enemy.

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